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WAINWRIGHT'S FIRST FAIR ECLIPSED EXPECTATIONS OF EVEN THE MOST SANGUINE SPECTATOR OF THE DAY'S EVENTS

PRISONER MAKES CLEAN GET-AWAY ON WAY TO DISTRICT COURT TO STAND TRIAL

Fake "Government Stock Inspector" Escapes from Mounted Police When Handcuffs were Released

SEARCH BEING INSTITUTED

Was to Have Been Arraigned Here on Number of Criminal Charges

As four prisoners were being brought here yesterday on the express from Edmonton, a clever crook named Ross, who was arrested near Viking in July by Constable Webster, made his get-away from the moving train and despite rigid efforts by several mounted policemen nothing has as yet been reported of his capture.

Ross and his partner in crime Fairdale, were taken into custody for carrying on a fake government inspection of live stock all over the northern part of the province. Their practices were nothing short of ridiculous and especially certain stunts they pulled off near Viking, where their identity was apprehended.

When the express was nearing Irma yesterday, Ross was released from the handcuffs while another prisoner to whom he was attached was taken to the lavatory. His escape was first noticed by the conductor on the train, who immediately notified Constable Wiseman who was in charge of the four prisoners. The train was stopped and another policeman who was also on board started in pursuit of the escaped prisoner. Later in the afternoon, and after he had been relieved of his charges here, Constable Wiseman started back on No. 1 to assist in the search.

It is thought that Ross will take a southerly direction in his get-away, for he is a smooth crook of American birth. In addition to the charges already preferred against him for carrying on a fake inspection game, Ross was to be tried on no less than three others, all of which are far indeed insult.

BOLD THIEF SUCCEEDED IN DECAPING WITH GOLD WATCH AND \$100 IN CASH

Commercial Man Relieved of His Money Bag --- Thief Not Yet Apprehended

The Wainwright Hotel was the scene of a bold robbery on Friday evening last, when the room, occupied by Mr. Hemmings, a commercial man of Edmonton, was entered and the pockets of the occupant relieved of about \$100 in cash and a valuable gold watch. The case was placed in the hands of Constable Carriek and Chief of Police Lewis, who tried in vain to locate the criminal.

From the fact that no clues were obtainable on which to make an arrest, nothing was resultant. Suspicious characters were searched, but the missing money and watch were not located.

MORE THAN THOUSAND VISITORS ENJOYED FAIR DAY AMID WEATHER THAT WAS NOTHING SHORT OF IDEAL

TAX RATE WILL BE LOWERED BY SUBMISSION TO PEOPLE OF 4 BY-LAWS

Tax Rate for Year Will Likely be 28 Mills --- May Not be Found Sufficient

Extra Expenditure Encountered in Fire Hall, Grading, Rink and Sidewalks

In View of Single Tax, Rate is Looked Upon as Being Comparatively Low

At a meeting of the civic council on Friday evening last it was decided to submit four new by-laws to the ratepayers at an early date, wherein provision will be made for the extra cost entailed in the construction of the rink, fire hall and sidewalks. This amount is estimated roughly at \$14,000.

To certain citizens, who are not conversant with the facts, it may appear strange that increased cost in the construction of these buildings and sidewalks was encountered, for which it is now necessary to raise an additional amount of money. Underestimation in every case was responsible, and particularly with the rink, which will cost several thousand dollars more than the original estimate, submitted by Architect Stimpson. With the fire hall, the same reason is attributed for the increased cost, together with the fact that the foundation, constructed last year, was found defective, making it necessary to replace the same.

THE TAX RATE STRUCK

The tax rate for the year was also disposed of and twenty-eight mills on the dollar will prevail. This will be made up of a general or current rate of 14 mills; school 7, and debenture 7. Discussion on the tax rate was confined to whether or not it would prove sufficient to meet the expenditures. This was brought to a close, however, with the decision to draw up new by-laws, providing for the increased expenditure in public improvements now made. Otherwise, it would appear that twenty-eight mills would not prove sufficient.

BOOKS WILL BE AUDITED

Chairman Mills of the Finance Committee reported on the audit and recommended that a complete audit of the books be made by a chartered accountant from August 14th, 1910, on which day the town was incorporated. Also that the accountant transfer the books of the town from the late secretary to Secretary-Treasurer Kenny. The report was adopted and a chartered accountant will be secured.

THE SECRETARY'S HOURS

Secretary Kenny, who was present in his new capacity, inquired as to the number of hours he would be required to remain in his office each day, when the town's business would be transacted. He was informed by the council as a whole that until the end of the year, he could use his own judgement as to the number of

Exhibits More Extensive, Numerous and Complete than was Ever Anticipated --- Rink Proved Splendid Place in which to Display the Various Articles of Handwork and Manufacture --- Mistakes in Management this Year Should Serve as Experience for the Next.

Wainwright's first fair is over with and the officers and directors of the Agricultural Society have reason to congratulate themselves on the success of the exhibition. To make a long story, it eclipsed even the most sanguine expectations, for the exhibits, astonishingly numerous and no better weather conditions could have been wished for. The steady trek of farmers into town continued from the early morning and by noon the visitors in town estimated at one thousand. All were interested in the events of the day and showed it by their stay at the grounds.

LACK OF PROPER SYSTEM

Lack of system was responsible for mistakes which will be remedied next year and in this connection the time taken for judging both at the rink and fair grounds, came in for only reasonable criticism. These and numerous more were expected, however, for a greater part of the preliminary work was seen to by only a few and the minor details delayed until the last hour. Even so, no fault could be found with the society for lack of interest, for each and every director played their part well and shouldered such responsibility with great credit.

USUAL FAIR TIME FAKERS

At the fair grounds, no less than fifteen hundred people were in attendance from noon until evening and the attractions offered were of the kind that hold an interested crowd. The usual fair time fakirs were on hand and succeeded in enriching their own pockets at the expense of numerous spectators. In this connection, one party claims that he was relieved of no less than \$100 at the pin-fall table, and this particular individual was perhaps taught a lesson he will not easily forget, and the money may prove well invested.

EXHIBITS IN RINK BUILDING

Special mention should be made of the fine exhibits of fancy work in the rink building. This display outclassed exhibits of this kind in much larger fairs than are held here. Admirers of this department were many and comments of a most favorable nature were passed. In the rink building were also other exhibits of an extensive nature. The roots, grains and grasses were very

Mr. Lawrence Haley, who had the misfortune to have his foot taken off on the Prince Albert Branch last summer, is in town visiting his sister, Mrs. Henry Myers.

NEW THRASHING OUTFIT

A new Autumn & Taylor separator has been purchased by Messrs. Leduc & Girard and is now at the farm of Bud Simmerman, where the season's threshing operations will begin. This is another outfit to thresh the bumper crop of the district.

hours daily this work would require. This decision on the part of the council repudiates what was reported in the last issue of the STAR to the effect that the new secretary would have 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. as his daily hours.

attractive, while the booths, containing home cooking, were well filled. In the same building was the frictionless wagon, invented by Jacob Geohring, Arthur Scofield and John Gano also had attractive exhibits.

THE FATTIST BABY

In the afternoon between the hours of two and three the fattest babies were on show, the first prize of \$10 offered by the STAR being won by Baby Frank Ebyen from across the Battle River. So great was the interest displayed in this particular contest that Mr. H. C. King, who was one of the judges, gave three consolation prizes of silver spoons and brooches. The second prize was won by Vernie Wilhelm, the third by Lawrence Myers and the fourth by Albert Bradbury. The Ebyen infant was 6 months old and weighed 20 pounds.

EXCITING HORSE RACES

Productive of great excitement were the few horse races which were run off. The running races were particularly interesting and attracted a large crowd. Three heats each, the race being won by a Hardisty horse. When it is considered that the race track cost in the vicinity of \$1,000 to grade and fix up this year, it is clear that the horse races were altogether too few. Next year more races should be put on.

MANY OUTSIDE VISITORS

The fair was not only attended in goodly numbers by district farmers but visitors from other parts of the province and from sister societies were on hand. This was due to the

Regulations Suspended During Harvest Season

Homesteaders Given Privilege of Leaving Their Claims in Time of Harvest

All entrants on Dominion Lands, who apply directly or through local agencies for permission to leave their lands for purpose of engaging in harvesting operations are to be granted protection while so absent.

This is the substance of a reply from the Department of Interior to a request asking that the regulations in this respect be abandoned during the harvest season. Homesteaders and all other entrants on Dominion Lands will then observe that by leaving their claims to assist in the harvesting of the crops they are not liable to cancellation and do so with the consent of the government.

MADE L. O. O. F. PRESENTATION

At the meeting of the local L. O. O. F. lodge on Monday evening, Past Grand T. G. Uook and P. E. Ross were presented with past grand's jewels as a token of appreciation of the good work, done by both these members during their terms as noble grand of the lodge.

How many times the Kirby-Uranni bout has been verbally fought over in public local places since last night could not be numbered in ocean sands.

good advertising which the affair received and persistent efforts on the part of Secretary Bowerman to make the day one of unprecedented success, so far as attendance was concerned. President Brynes of Edgerton and President Clark of the Irma Society were among those from outside points.

ENCOURAGE MANUFACTURES

One thing should be borne in mind next year by the businessmen and merchants of the town and this is in the exhibits which could well have been made this year from their stock. This was done by but two, Mr. Arthur Scofield and Mr. John Gano, both of whom had exhibits which were deserving of all the commendable comment passed. The spaces in the rink between the tents are just large enough to serve as booths, and they are separated in such a manner as to make them distinct and separate from one another.

EXHIBITS OF LIVE STOCK

The live stock was displayed and placed on show at the fair grounds, but considering the fact that no barns are at present erected, the number of entries was particularly pleasing to the society. Here too were the horses and among those to win prizes for superior horse flesh were Archie McLean, William Minnick of Edgerton, and other importers of heavy draught animals.

CANNOT BE TABULATED

On account of the lists not being made up at the time of going to press, and from the fact that the prize winners have yet to be reckoned numerically, it is impossible for a list of the awards to be made, for the names of the exhibitors should have appeared on the prize tickets, so that all spectators could see who the prize winners were.

SHOULD BE TWO DAYS

Instead of having the whole show take place in one day, it is readily seen that two days should be devoted to the exhibition. This year, many entries were made after twelve o'clock noon, and when it is considered that these articles were on show for only a very few hours, spectators had little time in which to view them. An agitation has already begun for this and it is to be hoped that next year's show will be longer in duration of time than that held yesterday.

BURNING ANOTHER KILN

Another kiln, containing upwards of 100,000 brick, is now in the process of burning at the brick yard here. It is said that the quality of the brick in this new kiln will be superior to any yet burned. Those in the last were slightly damaged by the elements.

The weather, which has prevailed for the past week, has been nothing short of ideal for harvesting, and has proved so for cutting of the balance of the grain. Nights are cold.

Miss C. Campbell, of Winnipeg, who visited Mrs. J. F. Templeton at Gilt Edge recently, left today for Portland, Ore., and other points.

OPERA HOUSE MAY YET BE BUILT HERE AND PERHAPS BEFORE THE SNOW FLIES

Calgary Man Here Looking Over Moving Picture Proposition

If No Place of Amusement is Afforded, Disappointment will Follow

Shortage of Brick Responsible for Small Bros. Not Having Rebuilt Auditorium

It is barely possible that Wainwright will have an opera house or at least a moving picture house before the winter months set in, for a certain gentleman from Calgary is in town this week, who is strongly contemplating the erection of such a place of amusement.

Needless to say, he is meeting with every encouragement, for it is now thought that Messrs. Small Bros. do not intend rebuilding the auditorium. To think of no such place of amusement being afforded for the coming winter is something that carries with it a feeling of disappointment. Until quite recently, it was thought that the Auditorium would be rebuilt, and it is even yet thought that could bricks have been secured earlier in the season an opera house of as substantial a nature as that destroyed by fire would by this time be well advanced and perhaps completed.

The earnest hope of all is that some such building will be started at once, so that show troupes can be booked and an occasional evening spent in an opera house. The rink will occupy a great deal of the public's leisure moments this winter, but it is more than probable that this will grow weary, some if no other pastime is to be had.

INSPECTING STOCK ALONG LINE

"Charlie" Brooks, the popular locomotive foreman at this point, who has been engaged in checking up stock at the terminals along the G.T.P. line was in town today and left this afternoon for Winnipeg. He will inspect as far east as Westfort.

Mrs. O.E. Peterson and daughter Ione, returned here on Monday's express from Edmonton, in company with a bouncing baby boy. Both Mrs. Peterson and child are in good health.

PAY CHECKS FOR EXHIBITORS

President Forster of the agricultural society announces that all cheques for prizes in connection with the fair will be mailed to the winners at an early date. The next meeting is being held on Saturday next, when the affairs of the society will be wound up.

LOST---On Fair Day at the grounds, grip containing pamphlets and other papers, relating to Edmonton City Dairy. Finder please return to this office.

VOTE ON LOCAL OPTION WILL BE TAKEN THIS FALL; CAMPAIGN STARTED ON SUNDAY

Deferred Vote on Local Option will Take Place Sometime in November; Date Not Set

THE CAMPAIGN OUTLINED

Secretary of Reform League Preached on Local Option in Presbyterian Church

Definite announcements are now made that the postponed vote on Local Option in districts No. 2 and 3 will be taken in November, although the date has not yet been struck. This vote was to be taken last year, but it was found at a late hour that the legislation in effect in the province, regulating such a procedure, was unworkable. The election was consequently postponed, with the understanding that the petitions, which were sent in, would be sufficient for the taking of the vote this year.

These two districts cover a large area and if the vote in November is found favorable to local option the total number of votes must be two-thirds of those polled. In this event the licenses in every town would be cancelled and hundreds of towns would be effected.

Campaign work has already begun and the first to speak here on this issue was Rev. W. G. W. Fortune, secretary of the Social and Moral Reform League of Alberta, who dealt with the local option question on Sunday at both the Methodist and Presbyterian churches. It is expected that representatives of the License Victuallers Association will also be here to discuss the question in public.

Ask for Extension of Straw Hat Season

Edmonton, Alta., Sept. 17.---Members of the straw hat brigade in Edmonton are framing a petition to Mayor G. S. Armstrong requesting his worship to issue a proclamation extending the season for summer head-wear until October 1. The closed season for straw hats began at midnight, September 15, but many of the wearers say the weather is such that straw hats will be in order the next ten days or so.

Just now the felt hat wearers penalize the straw hat wearers with hard looks, rude jests and ridicule, while in several instances belated summer headwear has been smashed. Mayor Armstrong declines to say what action he will take.

MORAL REFORM LEAGUE

At a meeting held in the Presbyterian church on Sunday evening last the following officers were elected to the local league here:---President, W. E. D. McTaggart; Vice-Pres., Rev. Mr. Phillips; Sec.-Treas., S. D. Mills. A committee was also elected.

Mr. and Mrs. Cook Myers of Panoka, are here visiting their son, Mr. Henry Myers. The elder Mr. Myers was here in the early days of the town and is well known locally.

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LOCALS

DYPHTHERIA PLACARD REMOVED
The diphtheria placard has been raised from the apartment over the store of My Bootmaker's on Second Avenue. This was up for several weeks and it is well that it is now removed, for the hall over Washburn & Mills' can be made use of.

WILL ERECT \$10,000 STRUCTURE

Mr. A. E. Mills, of the Wainwright Realty Co., reports that he will erect a fine structure near the corner of Main Street and First Avenue next spring. He lays plans for erecting a building that will cost at least \$10,000.

LOCAL PEOPLE ATTENDED

Many local people attended Edgerton's second annual fair, which was held on Friday last. The fair was a most successful one and outlasted last year's, which was considered good. Pres Brynes was in charge of arrangements.

HERRON INSPECTION

Mr. G. Worsley, Inspector for the R.N.W.M.P. for "G" division which includes the G. T. P. line in Alberta, inspected this detachment on Friday last. Constable Currier, who is in charge here at present, was visited.

RECEIVED BAD NEWS

On Thursday last, Messrs. Arthur and Clarence Coolen received the sad news of their sister's death at Halifax, N. S., from a brief illness of throat trouble. The late Miss Coolen was aged 19 years and was a favorite with her brothers here.

SEVERELY KICKED BY HORSE

While riding a pony one day last week, Mr. R. H. Wiley, on approaching a horse, was severely kicked in the lower part of his leg and sustained two broken bones about the ankle. He is at present using a pair of crutches and will be for sometime still.

THE ALBERTA BLOCK

When the new building being erected on Main Street by Messrs. Crawford & Armstrong is completed, it will be known as the Alberta Block. Upstairs will be reserved for offices. The building is fifty feet wide by sixty-five feet deep.

GAVE ENJOYABLE DANCE

A very enjoyable dance was given last night by Miss Ethyl Mohr and the scene of the function was at the new flour mill. A large number of local people were in attendance and Miss Mohr was voted a splendid host.

VISITING AT THE COAST

Constable Webster, who was one of the guard of honour for the Duke of Connaught during the Calgary Stampede, is having a short holiday on leave of absence to the Coast. He will return here in the course of a month or more.

HERE FOR WEEK END

R. Fraser Armstrong, B. Sc., who is in charge of the survey work in connection with the installation of the water system at Tofield, was a week-end visitor here with his friend N. E. Cook.

WILL MANAGE HOTEL

The new hotel being erected at Chauvin by the Chauvin Hotel Company will be managed by Mr. W. A. Bulman, late of Edmonton. Mr. Bulman's brother is financially interested in the company. The new hostelry will be open about October 1st.

Mrs. Albert Grainger and family returned on Friday last, from St. Louis, and other points in Ontario, where they have been visiting for the past three months.

SOIL STILL RICH AFTER 80 YEARS

Farman farm, in Wellington county, Ontario, owned by Mr. Henry DeWitt, after eighty summers' constant cultivation, possesses soil as rich as if not richer than when it was first broken in 1821. The following methods of farming, rigidly adhered to by Mr. DeWitt, may be cited as reasons for this happy situation:

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The general conduct of the farm, is closely in accord with mixed farming principles, which protect any soil from depletion.

HOME INDUSTRY

How it Has Been Injured in the Case of Wool Manufacture

"Canada an example and warning" is the subject of a pamphlet issued by Thomas O. Marvin, of the Home Market Club, Montreal. He says that the wool manufactured in the Dominion of Canada is as old, and theoretically it should be as prosperous an industry as it is in the United States, yet the entire production of the Canadian mills is less than that of a single American company. "Two out of three of the inhabitants of the Dominion," he said, "are clothed wholly in foreign fabrics, as against less than one in ten of the American people." He then proceeds to investigate this extraordinary difference. Fifty years ago the countries were practically on an equal so far as this great branch of textile manufacturing was concerned. The Canadian mills had been managed with shrewdness and ability. There has been no dearth of capital or of skilled operatives. Many of these capitalists or mill owners, finally despairing of success in Canada had moved to the United States and there had become successful manufacturers. So, too, with the operators. A considerable proportion of the best spinners, weavers and dyers in American mills today had found their way to these mills by way of Canada.

In 1861, an adequate protective tariff in which wool and its manufactures were included, was enacted for the American people by their government, and under this policy the aggregate value of American wool products increased from \$73,454,000 in 1860 to \$507,319,000 in 1910. Under a policy of late years of inadequate protection, however, the wool manufacture of Canada had entirely failed to increase but was actually decreasing, as witness the large number of mills that had closed. The sheep themselves were disappearing. While there were 2,150,000 sheep in Canada in 1871, there were only 2,100,000 in 1910, while in the United States on the other hand, the number had grown from 27,286,000 to 41,999,000.

"In other words," says Mr. Marvin, "inadequate protection robs Canada of a great natural industry once strong and prosperous and has made Canada the best outside customer of the great manufacturing clothiers of the United States."

MACHINERY IN THE WEST

Canadian Makers are Waking up to the "Tractor" Trade

Fully five thousand tractors are used on farms in Western Canada whereas seven years ago there were only eight of this class of implement in the West. "Where do you buy your engines?" a farmer in Saskatchewan was asked. "Nearly all of them come from the States. The most popular tractor from Indiana," he replied. "Very few are made in Canada just now, but I believe the three firms who do make them are preparing to get a larger share of this big market out here," he continued. "This season the Canadian factories supplied some 250 engines out of the 2,500 that were absorbed by the Western market."

A NOTE OF WARNING

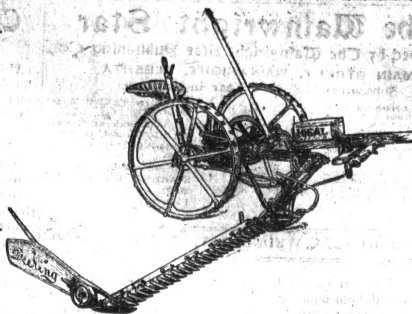
The west is agog with a discussion on the merits of mixed farming for the prairies. Many experts declare it is the only sure preventive of soil exhaustion. Most farmers, however, are either convinced of the inexhaustibility of the soil's fertility or they are not worrying over that prospect so long as they reap good harvests with small outlay now. The experts, however, are mindful of the fate of the western states, just across the border, where the yield per acre has steadily declined.—Cardston Globe.

Ottawa Journal—All men are liars, but especially those who contradict what Roosevelt says.

Winnipeg Tribune—When a man goes on a foot he may sober up in a couple of days, but when the moon gets full it can't get on its feet again in less than a quarter.

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1902	6,000,000	2,725,305	20,892,805
1904	6,000,000	3,218,959	25,909,153
1906	6,000,000	3,674,506	35,506,959
1908	6,000,000	4,400,997	41,327,872
1910	6,000,000	4,999,297	54,779,044
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WAINWRIGHT ALTA., WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18 1913

GOOD citizens are known by both words and deeds and never fail to uphold what they believe right and oppose what is wrong. They boast of their town's good features and in a certain sense forget and overlook the peculiarities, which are associated with the conditions of any young western town. A man, who constantly and incessantly presents the adverse conditions, is not only a grumbler and drawback, but even abhorred for more noticeable reasons,—he is looked upon as a man, who should seek out some spot where conditions are really better than where he is continuously finding fault.

In small matters is the good citizen shown. He loses no opportunity of applauding what he sees to admire and forgives what transpires amiss. If he sees something that needs remedying, he is not slow in voicing his opinion in this respect, not in a noisy or boastful manner, but in a quiet and suggestive mood. To go forth and disclaim the mistakes of others is unjust, for errors are often made by those who try to do what they consider best.

THE AIM OF A REAL CITIZEN
The aim of a true citizen should be lofty and his actions similar. This should be and is done by all who believe in the town in which they live. Those, who do not, and who are continuously finding fault, should remove to that which they consider the better place. A real citizen is one to be admired by all, and especially by those, who sojourn with him through the evolutionary path that is made by every western town.

COUNCILLORS Musson and Crawford hold out and affirm what has been voiced through these columns to the effect that they absolutely refuse to stand for office with the expiration of their terms. In this case the question is now asked,—“Who will fill their places at the 1913 council board?”

There is scarcely any doubt but that someone will be in the field and as the duties of a councillor are not to be envied, except for the slight honor which is attached, the probability is that men of an entirely different stamp than either of the retiring councillors will offer themselves for election. A councillor's path is strewn with anything but roses. No small amount of time is sacrificed and the criticism made is of the kind that is not at all pleasing to those who endeavor to perform their duties in a satisfactory manner. Both Councillor Musson and his colleague have been public spirited, for only after much persuasion did either consent to stand for election. They viewed the duty of citizenship in the proper manner and now consider that they have played their part in civic affairs. In this they are by no means mistaken, and their service to the town has been appreciated. Who the new candidates will be is as yet unknown and it is not too soon to frame a slate for the elections, which are scheduled for December next.

WHO WILL STAND FOR ELECTION
TWENTY-EIGHT mills on the dollar has been struck as a tax rate, and, after further and more complete scrutiny, this rate prevails no dissatisfaction should result or be felt by the ratepayers. This is made up as follows,—current or general, 14 mills; school, 7; and special debenture, 7.

Instructions have been issued to have four by-laws prepared at once, which will provide for debentures to the extent of approximately \$14,000. This will cover the increased cost of the rink, the fire hall and cement and plank sidewalks, all of which were under-estimated, when by-laws, providing for such expenditure, were drawn up. It is barely possible, however, that a lesser amount will suffice to place back in the public treasury what has been taken from the account of current expenses.

The good features of raising such money by the issue of debentures instead of by current tax rate are easily explained.

ISSUE OF NEW DEBENTURES
As voiced in council sometime ago by Councillor Crawford, there is no reason why all public improvements being made at present should be paid for by citizens, who now make up the population of the town.

It would appear more reasonable to make some provision for the future population, who will enjoy public improvements as much as those who did the pioneer work and established the town on a substantial basis. This issue of debenture will then include part of expenditures on the rink, fire hall and sidewalks, and it is expected that the consolidation of the total town debt will be made at some future date, the coupons for the same being distributed over a period of thirty or forty years.

If it is found impossible to issue new debentures under the town's act, the tax rate will necessarily be increased and will perhaps amount to at least forty-five mills on the dollar, or as is more readily understood, \$4.50 per hundred. No citizen would then be adverse to seeing new debentures issued, when he is paying in tax rate an amount equal or almost so, to the interest on his money, which would then wipe off whatever profit that is expected, when he invests his money in the town.

REPRESENTATIVES at the eighth annual convention of the union of Alberta municipalities, held at Innisfail last week, took strong objection to the system of single tax, whereby land values are the basis on which assessment is made. The claim was advanced, and reasonably, that the assessment is decreased, while the tax rate is in some cases as high as seventy-five and eighty mills on the dollar.

These claims are really substantiated by the facts, for the same complaints have already started in this town, where single tax is also in force. The revenue, forthcoming from the taxes, is not sufficient to meet current expenses, unless a very high rate is struck, and this is what ratepayers object to. In the event of new debentures being issued here to provide for a portion of current expenses this year, this difficulty will be alleviated to a certain extent and the alleged fallacies of the system will not strongly prevail.

SINGLE TAX IN ALBERTA
This sudden imposition of single taxation is causing small towns to ponder deeply, for it has been dealt with and passed by the government before the good features, or even the bad, have been properly realized. It is apparent that radical changes must be made at the next sitting of the legislature.

COMMENT

Already the soothsayers and the nimrods are predicting a mild winter. One bases his prophecy on the fact that the pin feathers on domesticated fowls have not the growth they had this time last year, which would appear to be about as sure a sign of a mild winter as the fact that hens are still without teeth at this time of the year.

Citizens, and oftentimes the cleverest, are wont to indulge in too much curb-stone comment on the way municipal affairs are handled. When it comes to choosing a man for a vacancy in the council or some such public office, these men are invariably the last to come forward and assume the responsibility of civic affairs.

Here's to the success of the Chauvin Gazette, a news-sheet edited and published at Chauvin by Mr. DeForrest Cline, who was at one time connected with the STAR, where he displayed his ability as an able writer. A copy of the Gazette has come to hand and we venture to predict that the journal will become a potent factor in the upbuilding of that town and district.

A newspaper is one of the most necessary and useful institutions of any town or city. A modern community could no more get along without a newspaper than without a post office. These are accepted axioms and it would be difficult to find any well informed person who would seriously question them.

When you come to think of it, why should it be compulsory on the part of any town to adopt the single tax system, and why should a government pass legislation to the effect that such a system must be followed? Conditions alter in every instance and it now appears that small towns are the sufferers with single taxation.

Indications point to a winter of solid enjoyment, in the local pool rooms or sitting around in the retundas of the hotels, either of which might be alright for an occasional game or a sociable talk. So far as an opera house is concerned, it is almost apparent that the people are doomed to disappointment. Not even a picture show is assured.

A meeting of the hockey fans was called for Friday evening last and but three of the faithful turned up. Now, with hockey prospects so bright for the winter, isn't it very disappointing that more interest is not taken in the popular game? Or perhaps the town has become devoid of hockey fans who made the town famous in bygone years.

Long credit is the bane of any country and should be put a stop to. Business men have the full power in their hands, but why do they not exercise it? Many a man has been induced to purchase articles, which he could very well do without, on promise of long payment. Long credit has been too often the ruin of many.

A certain amount of custom will come to any business establishment with no other invitation than the open door. But until the merchant or businessman advertises which he has to offer to the public he cannot expect any considerable increase in his business. Newspaper advertising is as essential as good judgement in buying stock.

THEN WE WILL ALL KNOW
If you know of anything we don't know and which the public would like to know, if it is worth knowing, don't you know that it is your duty to let us know it, that the people may also know? You may know, but they don't know the things you know.

One glad, prolonged song is going upward from the west for there are as yet no signs of a car shortage. And the crop in western Canada is considered the best on record by long odds. On the movement of the grain crop and the facilities employed by the railway companies depends the success of the year's crop.

Roosevelt's stock is evidently dropping in value and the "Bull-Moosers", or otherwise the progressives, are not meeting with as much success as they anticipated. Although the Progressive candidate for the presidency met great ovations at every point he visited, the polls are not showing him as great favor.

The local option vote in districts two and three will be taken this year and both parties are lining up for the fray. Platform speechmaking has already begun and the evils of the liquor traffic made monumental in size. The liquor license victualers are evidently viewing the matter in a rather non-chalant light.

After personally inspecting the proposed route of the Hudson's Bay railway, Hon. Frank Cochrane, minister of railways and canals, has returned to Ottawa and reports most favorably on the project. He is very enthusiastic regarding the route, which is by no means displeasing to westerners who have awaited this road for years.

What the local board of trade has accomplished this year cannot easily be reckoned by those who have shown lack of interest in the good work that body is carrying on. It is well and correctly put by a prominent businessman of the town, who says that the 1912 board has done one hundred per cent more good than all previous ones combined.

The practise of bonusing industries to locate in a particular town is admittedly a bad one, but until the locality has become established so that bonuses will make little difference what are the smaller towns to do? It much resembles the practise of robbing Peter to pay Paul, but is necessary in certain instances.

RETAIL PRICES

Following are the retail prices for the week, varying perhaps, at the different places of business:

Butter	30 to 35 cts. per lb.
Eggs	25 to 30 per doz.
Chicken	20 to 25 cts.
Turkeys	20 cts.
Duck	12 cts.
Geese	12 cts.
Lard	15 cts.
Pork Salt	16 cts.
Pork Fresh	22 to 25 cts.
Hay	\$10 per ton

FOR SALE OR LEASE—Store on Third Avenue for sale or rent at reasonable charges. For particulars apply to 51-53 Robert Wright

FOR SALE—East Half Section 5-4-6, W. 4th, and East Half Section 17-4-5, W. 4th. J. C. Dale, 4-52 Madoc, Ont.

LOTS FOR SALE—Offers are invited for purchase of Lots 37 and 38, Block 5, First Avenue, near Depot. Owned will give very easy terms or will sell cheap for spot cash.

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ALBERTA FAIR DATES

Daysland—September 24th.
Castor—September 21-25.
Hardisty—September 25-28.
Stettler—September 26-27.
Edgerton, September 13.
Wainwright—September 17.
Irma—September 19th.
Viking—September 21th.
Canrose—October 1-2.
Provost—October 3rd.
Chauvin, October 4th.

UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE

Sec. 13-25-29, W. 4th
9 Miles N. E. of Calgary
Via Nose Creek on Carbon Trail
WED., SEP. 25th, 1912
at 10 o'clock sharp

Instructed by Mr. F. Fraunwieser who is disposing of his farm, I will sell his entire stock consisting of

120 Head Horses
18 Head Cattle
8 Pigs & 75 Chickens,
Farm Implements, Machinery and Household Furniture

Horses Comprise

Black Percheron Stallion, Imported Reg. no. 427 (83422).
2 Canadian Percheron Brood Stallions, 2 yrs old black and grey.
5 Reg. Percheron Mares
2 " " fillies, 2 yrs old
2 " " " 1 yr old
2 Sucking colts eligible for registration.
30 Teams of well matched mares and geldings.
20 head mares with colts at foot Carload lots of 2 yr old fillies and geldings.
Carload lot of yearlings
1 First-class Grade Clydesdale Stallion.

Cattle Comprise

11 First-Class milk cows
4 two-year Heifers
2 calves

Pigs Comprise

1 Brood Sow, Berkshire
7 Young Pigs

The above horses are without exception one of the best bunches ever exposed for sale in Alberta, 75 per cent are mares and are all of Clyde and breeding. The Stallion is a lovely black, weighing about a ton and is a sure foot getter. His stock will be seen at the sale. The mares and fillies are an extra good bunch and are descended from such sires as Brilliant, Coco, Farquhar, and Leduc. Brilliant and Coco are considered to be two of the best Percherons ever imported to the States. The grade Stallion is a lovely brown, weighing around 1600 lbs, well range broke and is the sire of a lot of fine young stock, and is also well broke to work. The grade mares are also a nice bunch, all well broke and sound they all weigh around 1400 lbs. The two-year olds and yearlings are an exceptionally good lot and mostly mares, anyone in want of good mares will do well to attend this sale, and pedigrees of registered stock will be handed over to purchasers on day of sale. Also all Farm Implements and Household Furniture.

I will also offer for sale the whole of Sec. 12, Tp. 25, R. 20, W. 4th; Sec. 13, Tp. 25, R. 20, W. 4th and S. E. 1-4 of Sec. 18, Tp. 25, R. 28, W. 4th.

The above sections of land are in a very good location 9 miles N. E. of Calgary with stabling accommodation for 100 head stock and pens for 200 head of pigs, there are over 1,000 acres of land broke, and also a first class dwelling house. Terms of the sale of land are quarter cash and the balance to be arranged the day of sale and will carry interest at 7 p. e. The owner will have the right of a low reserve bid. I will also sell 1 1/2 acres of potatoes to the highest bidder.

Rigs and automobiles will leave the Central Horse Repository, 2 doors east of Centre St. on 6th Ave. E. at 9 a.m. on morning of sale to take out intending purchasers.

Terms Cash Lunch Provided
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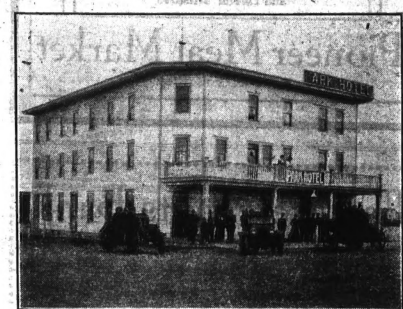
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As one of our customers remarked the other day the first cost is not the last cost.

There are many "hooks" in the lumber business, we have none baited. In no other line, perhaps, do you rely so strongly on the honesty of the dealer.

Ask our customers what sort of treatment they get at this yard.

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The famous Rexall Remedies
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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

FOURTEEN PRIZES
Out of eighteen entries made at the Edgerton Fall Fair by Mrs. H. B. Walker, she was awarded no less than fourteen prizes, the majority of which were firsts. A large number of the awards were for fancy work.

DOOR FOR TOWN VAULT

The vault door, which was ordered by the town sometime ago from the Carey Safe Co., is now very badly needed and efforts are being made to have it here at an early date so that it can be installed in the new town hall.

REGULAR MAIL SERVICE

The mail service, which was in effect on the G. T. P. previous to June 1st, will be inaugurated shortly. This announcement will be hailed with delight by businessmen along the entire line, who have found much fault with the two-day service from Wainwright.

NOTICE

Local Improvement District 23-E-4

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against L.I.D. 23-E-4 are required to send particulars of such claims to J. W. Wyatt, Jarrow, Alberta, Secretary, Treasurer of said district, before the seventh day of November, 1912, and that any person that fails to do so shall be deemed to have waived his right to recover the same from said district or any other district that may be liable for the liabilities thereof. Dated at Jarrow the 13th day of September, 1912.

J. W. WYATT,
Secretary-Treas.
L. I. D. 23-E-4

LODGE NOTICES



The Knights of Pythias

Wainwright Lodge, No. 1444, meets every 1st and 3rd Wednesdays at 8:00 in the Wainwright Hall. Visiting brethren are cordially invited to attend.

DR. A. WATSON, C.C.
G. H. BEAUDRY, R.S.



The Wainwright Lodge No. 45 I.O.O.F.

Meets every Monday at 8 p.m. in the Wainwright Hall. Cordially invited to attend.

N. K. B. G. L. G. R. H. S.

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DENTAL

D. J. W. McQueen, Dentist, late of Strathcona, Graduate of the Royal College of Dental Surgeons and of Haskell Post Graduate College, Chicago, Ill., Wainwright.
At office in Wainwright weeks of second Monday and fourth Monday of each month.

F. C. KING, Optician, Wainwright, opens 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. daily.

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G. D. STIMPSON, Structural Engineer and Building Designer, School Plans a Specialty, Wainwright, Alberta.

FOR SALE—Team of good work horses, a gelding and mare, weighing about 1400 each. Also an outfit of machinery.

Wm. R. L. Frye,
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Clark Manor, P. O.



Synopsis of Canadian Northwest Land Regulations.

Any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years of age may homestead 160 acres of land in the Dominion lands in Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta, British Columbia, Yukon, Northwest Territories, and the Yukon Territory.

For certain districts a homesteader to good standing may pre-empt a 1/4 section alongside the homestead. Price \$20.00 per acre. Homesteads made up of 1/4 sections in each of 1/4 section from date of homestead entry, including the time required to secure homesteaded section and cultivate fifty acres.

A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$50.00 per acre. Homesteads made up of 1/4 sections in each of 1/4 section from date of homestead entry, including the time required to secure homesteaded section and cultivate fifty acres and erect a house worth \$200.

W. W. CORY

Deputy of the Minister of the Interior
N. B.—unauthorized publication of this act constitutes an offence.

CEMENT CROSSINGS COMPLETED

The cement crossings at the corner of Main Street and Second Avenue have been completed, and an altogether different appearance is given the street generally. This will also be done at the corner of Third Avenue.

INTERESTING ROPING CONTEST

An interesting roping contest was witnessed at the Buffalo Livery Corral one day last week, when Ed. Stimpson and Soren Sorenson lined up for the honors. The former won the contest and surprised not a few of those who were witnesses.

TENDERS HIS RESIGNATION

Mr. W. E. D. McTaggart, who was elected president of the Moral Reform League here on Sunday evening, has tendered his resignation, pleading lack of time. Mr. McTaggart is a citizen of the town but is out of town a good deal.

NEW ACCOUNTANT FOR BANK

Mrs. J. O. Lethbridge, who has been connected with the Merchants Bank at Calgary, is expected to arrive here any day to assume the position, vacated by Mr. O. C. Smith at the local institution. Mr. Gough has been acting accountant here for sometime.

NEW STORE OPENED UP

The big new store, lately completed on Main Street by Thomas Bisson, was opened for business yesterday. The establishment is one of the best in the town and is now part of the G. H. Beaudry Co. Main Street is greatly improved by the appearance of this new building.

NOW OFFERED FOR SALE

The store which has been erected on Third Avenue by Robert Wright is now offered for sale or rent. The building was erected this summer by Mr. Wright, with the assistance of his two small children, who did the light work on the building.

ONCE MORE AND ONLY ONCE

Local hockey followers are again asked to attend an organization meeting on Friday night in the rink, commencing at 8 o'clock. The hockey boys were greatly annoyed by the poor attendance at last week's meeting and they state that this is the last time they will ask the fans to turn out.

HERE IS A SNAP

I want to sell the N. E. 1-4 of Sec. 28-T12-R4, west of 4th meridian, no incumbrance, and my equity in the S. E. 1-4 of Sec. 33-42-4, a fractional quarter containing 125 acres. This last mentioned quarter, I bought two years ago, to be paid for in ten annual payments. I am to pay seventeen dollars an acre for it, with interest at six per cent. per annum. There are eight payments yet due on it, next one due Aug. 20, 1913. This 285 acres is all fine, nearly level upland, excellent soil, and it borders a large lake of excellent water, and lake has a hard sandy bottom, and there is plenty of wood close by. It is eight miles from Edgerton, Alta. and is as choice as can be found. The first person that will give me \$2800 and assume my contract for the unexpired payments on the fractional quarter, can have it. If you are looking for some good land, this is a real bargain don't fail to investigate this. Address,

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Confectionery and Ice Cream
Moires First-Class Chocolates at 50c lb.

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THIS WEEK'S SPECIALS



Children's
Sweater
Coats
and
Underwear
Boys
Clothing
and
Overcoats

MY BOOTMAN

The little Store That does the big business
"There's a reason for it"

CHOICE FRUITS AND CONFECTIONERY AT THE GEM

Our Preserving Fruits will be in about August 30th. Order now and we will reserve you a case of Apples, Pears, Peaches, Crab Apples, Green Tomatoes, Plums or Prunes.

THE GEM : : : : : MAIN ST.

"INTERNATIONAL FLY WAT"

From Fifty to Seventy-Five Should be Best Period

This period of woman's life, from 55 to 75 years, is now more happily regarded than any other of our national resources. If one visits a State Federation of Women's Clubs, she will find nearly every delegate of this age. They are women of mature understanding and of ripe judgment, still possessing abundant health and strength, and whose relieved economic conditions from the necessity of manual work, the relations which they maintain to life are such irregular and uncertain ones as in the career of mothers-in-law, grandmothers, club secretaries, and presidents of town improvement societies. Remove all restrictions on woman's activity, and these strong matrons would vitalise our schools, give us decent municipal housekeeping, supervise the conditions under which girls and women work in shops and factories, and do much to clean up our politics. Declared from real power as they are, they are still making us decent in spite of ourselves.—Earl Barnes, in Atlantic.

CHOOSING A HUSBAND

Frenchman Advises Young Women to Study Suitor

Mrs. Bolo, in his lecture addressed to young men and women, said that exceptional beauty is not to be despised, but requires to be linked with moral value, for the one only attracts while the other retains. Mrs. Bolo was also very decided as to the worth of housekeeping qualifications, and lamented over the families where the servants broke and stole and the husband paid, while the wife was turning over the fashion plates in side out. My advice on the choice of a husband implied long suggestions, which he evidently approved. While he is your fiance he is the most delicious risk, so do not marry him till you know him well. Keep your confidence for after marriage—you will always have too much before, but in little ones such as they really are. And do not be in a hurry to marry, at all costs.—London Standard.

THE BISHOP'S WALK

In the memorial notices of Bishop Shephard's death, mention was made of one of his most remarkable achievements. He walked from India into Russia, and, curiously, his walk told about his extraordinary journey. Some little time ago it was mentioned in a conversation. The correspondent remarked to him that it must have been a very interesting experience, and could he tell him anything about it. No, no, he said in his vigorous casual way, nothing interesting. A great deal of open country, quite unincultured, but a very fine man at that time, and thought it would be rather a good plan to come back from India that way. I thought I would walk it not often done. Good old English exercise, you know—heel and toe.—Manchester Guardian.

By Command of Colonel Clark

Fred Clark, of Pulaski, Tennessee, is the only negro who ever commanded a regiment of Confederate soldiers in action. In the early spring of 1864, when the Confederates were in a desperate struggle to such a pass that their uniforms looked like that of Gunga Din, the officers told about his extraordinary journey. Some little time ago it was mentioned in a conversation. The correspondent remarked to him that it must have been a very interesting experience, and could he tell him anything about it. No, no, he said in his vigorous casual way, nothing interesting. A great deal of open country, quite unincultured, but a very fine man at that time, and thought it would be rather a good plan to come back from India that way. I thought I would walk it not often done. Good old English exercise, you know—heel and toe.—Manchester Guardian.

SITUATIONS VACANT

Young men placed in positions as Telegraphers, Freight and Ticket Clerks just as fast as we can prepare them. Railway Office, 1000 Bank Street, because our instruction is specially prepared. Day and Mail Courses. Write for Book 10, 1000 Bank Street, School of Railroading, Toronto.

The Company She Kept

A Boston couple, of middle age and kind hearts, spent their vacation near Augusta, Georgia, and during their visit took a great fancy to an old colored woman. When they left Augusta, they invited her to pay them a visit, which she accepted with the understanding that they were to pay her expenses. Having arrived in Boston, she was given a room in the house of the white folks, and was invited to have her meals at the same table with her host and hostess. Mrs. Jones, said the hostess, you were a slave, weren't you? Mrs. Jones replied that such had been her condition of servitude. I suppose your master never invited you to eat at his table, banished the Boston woman. No, honey, that he didn't, replied Mrs. Jones. My master was a real gentleman. He said never let me niggar get at the table alongside of him.

A Tender Matter

Millie—Was that your intended with whom I saw you yesterday? Grace—Yes, he present "future" to speak.—Satire.

Appreciated It

Father—How is it that I find you kissing my daughter? Answer me sir! How is it? Young man—Fine, sir, fine.—Satire

Think and be Safe

When you are mad, try to think twice before you speak, my lad. And then just take another think. And you won't get in bad.

Naughty

Beware of ciphers, oh my son. It is a sage who slugs. For they are objects you should shun. They are real/naughty things.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

One is Missing

A writer in the Sun traces Governor Wilson's descent from an Irishman named McWilliam. He is also believed to be descended from a Scot named MacWilliam, a Frenchman named Youdreau, and a German called Wilhelmshausen. Unfortunately no Italian ancestor has yet been discovered for him.—New York Mail.

Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills

are the right medicine for the children. Often the children are out of order when even the best of parents cannot get them right. Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills will quickly and surely put them right. They are perfectly reliable, and have been used by thousands of mothers and fathers. Guard your children's health by getting Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills. They are the best medicine for children. Keep the children well.

On Muffins

She sat around in dainty frock And proudly held her head. She was the owner of the frock But she produced no bread.

The Day of the Suffragette

Are you an instructed delegate? I should say so. How were you instructed? By my wife before I left home.

Could Not

She—Can you manage a typewriter? He—No. I married one.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Suspicious

My father talked me into taking this course in domestic science. And how do you like domestic science? Well, it looks like ordinary kitchen work to me. If my suspicions are confirmed, I shall drop the course and make father buy me a \$50 hat.

You say you've transferred

the mortgage on your house? Yes, transferred it to my new car.

The forty-eight-hour vein of trouble

lies so near the surface of the ground that any man can drive his pick into it.

Another Form of Senatorial Courtesy

In addition to studying railroad rates, the question of high living, and the tariff, Senator John M. Dixon, of Montana, has been a student of the general subject of ghosts. Just before he came to Washington to begin his service in the Senate, he was told by a "bad man" of Montana, who had been condemned to death, that spirits could return to this earth from the other world.

At midnight of the day that I

hanged, said the murderer, I will knock at your front door in order to prove to you that ghosts can come back.

On the midnight of the day that I

was sitting up in his Washington home courteously waiting to see what would happen, for the man's manner had impressed him greatly. The senator was about to go to bed when he remembered that there is a difference of three hours between Washington and Montana time. So he waited up three hours longer, but again received no visit.

The only thing I wish I had

established, said Dixon, afterward, was by what time the affairs of the other world are conducted.

Did Johns in

The daughters of the household, ardent suffragists were talking politics. Taft will sweep the country, declared Mabel.

Willson will sweep the country,

asserted Maud. Roosevelt will sweep the country, asserted Margaret.

At this point did took a hand.

Never mind about who's going to sweep the country, said he. "Who's going to sweep this here kitchen." That's the question now.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one criminal who is not a member of the "bad man" of Montana, who had been condemned to death, that spirits could return to this earth from the other world.

Direct Testimony

Judge Anken, presiding in the police court of the city of Washington, not long ago had as witness before him a man who stammered, the affliction being a sort of intermittent affair. The witness would stutter frantically through two or three sentences, and then would fall through two or three without hesitation. This interested the judge greatly, and finally he asked the witness:

My good man, when do you stutter most?

Well, Your Honor, replied the afflicted man, I do not, when I'm talking.

Minard's Liniment Cures Croup in Cows

A train which left Bolivar in South America, for a neighboring town, three years ago has just arrived. The distance covered was 120 kilometres and the reason for the delay was a storm which derailed the train, killed most of the passengers, and ripped up such a goodly portion of the track that the company owning it was forced into bankruptcy. About six months ago an American engineer, who had been in the reconstruction of the road, and brought the long-delayed train to the point for which it originally started.

Some Good Qualify

Mister Interlocutor, can you tell me why a prohibitionist could never succeed as a lawyer. No, I cannot, Mr. Tambo. Tell us why. Because his success depends upon his standing at the bar.

One of the commonest complaints

of infants is worms, and the most effective application for them is Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator.

A Sailor Governs Railroads

Francis K. Lane, who, as a member of the Interstate Commerce Commission, helps to govern the railroads of the country, is in reality a sailor. Whenever he gets the chance he jumps into a sailboat and handles the sheets himself.

Answered

Did that young man kiss you last night? Mother, do you suppose that he came all the way up here just to hear me sing?—Cornell Widow.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diarrhoea

Diarrhoea was securing for a 100-year man. Find a suburbanite who will tell you his real opinion of country life in winter, we advised.

Herewith he departed to apply the greatest test of all—Harper's Bazaar.

Then and Now

The young wife has given her husband a dance. You're improved wonderfully, Jack, she said, as they sat down. Don't you remember how you used to tear my dress?

Yes, he replied. I wasn't buying them then.—Boston Transcript.

The Better Part

Willie—Paw, what is the age of discretion? Paw—The period when a man can't have a good time without suffering for it in the next morning.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Corn is caused by the pressure

of tight shoes, but no one need be troubled with them long when so simple a remedy as Holloway's Corn Cure is available.

Two Heads

Who's head man in this office? That depends on the Smith Co. Well, who decides things?

The senior partner rules up business matters, but the office boy decides all baseball disputes.—Washington Herald.

Mooney's Biscuit Factory

The above photo shows the new factory of the Mooney Biscuit Co. at Vancouver, the latest link of the across the continent chain of factories of the Mooney Biscuit Co., Head Office, Stratford, branch factories at Winnipeg and Vancouver. The latest factory has been purchased from the H. Smith Biscuit Co., of Vancouver, the pioneer biscuit and candy manufacturers of the Pacific Coast. This company enjoys a very substantial business, and only last year erected a new factory building of steel and cement construction which is one of the most modern in the Dominion. While the Mooney Co. have not divulged the exact amount of the purchase price, it is understood to be in the neighborhood of \$200,000.

The story of the organization and progress of the Mooney Biscuit Co. reads almost like a tale from the Arabian Nights. Less than eight years ago the business was started in a small way in Stratford, Ont. Mr. W. J. Mooney the founder, who has been and is still the President of the Company, has been called "the wizard of the biscuit business." He has had for many years some very original ideas regarding the biscuit business, and immediately on the organization of his own factory he proceeded to put them into operation. The Western trade entitled it to be served by a Western factory, so that the people of the West, as well as those of the East, might receive Mooney's goods in as absolutely as "fresh from the oven" as they could be. Consequently a little less than two years ago the Mooney Biscuit Co. was secured, and the results which have been achieved since that time have fully justified the wisdom of the venture, and have set the seal of approval on the branch factory idea. The business of the Mooney Biscuit Co. is now conceded to be the largest of the kind in the Dominion of Canada, and it ranks very prominently among the big industrial enterprises of the country.

Although the British Columbia territory has heretofore been served by the Mooney factory at Stratford, nevertheless the business has fully kept pace with the growth of the territory, and has now reached proportions where it can only be taken care of by a factory actually on the ground. In addition to the present business of the Mooney Co., the new factory will also take care of a very considerable proportion, so that it is expected that the new factory will at once be taken to its utmost proportions.

Mr. W. J. Mooney the Vice President of the Mooney Biscuit Co., who has been in charge of the reconstruction work.

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I am going to put some white in the yoke, said the young lady, referring to her gown.

What! that scrawny! It enquired the young man.—Chicago Tribune.

After the Nightmare

One of the things that must irritate a delegate is that when he gets home the neighbors think he has been enjoying a nice summer vacation.—Washington Star.

The Church and the Woolly West

Bishop William C. Doane, of the Protestant Episcopal Diocese of Albany, New York, follows the English fashion of his church and signs his name William, of Albany.

Doane, I wish you lived in Buffalo instead of Albany, he was told one day by Bishop Potter, of New York.

Why do you wish that? asked William of Albany.

Because, replied Potter, then we could call you Buffalo Bill.

Old But Alert

Alvay Augustus Ade, assistant secretary of state for this country, is in his seventeenth year, but age has no terrors for him. He can be seen almost any day rushing around Washington on a bicycle with his white whiskers waving in the wind.

Baiting Her

What are you cutting out of the paper? About a California man securing a divorce because his wife went with her pockets.

What are you going to do with it? Put it in my pocket.—Boston Transcript.

In novels and on the stage the bull

is invariably in whipped. But in real life the bull often wins.

If a man doesn't have to get down to work early he would just as soon do it.

A Great Record for Both

I've driven my car for over a year now, said Bilkins, and I've never run down anybody.

That's nothing, said Mrs. Bilkins. I've attended the meetings of our sewing circle for five years and have never run down anybody.—Harper's Weekly.

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Mrs. Lally, who visited
friends in Banff, returned here
last week. Mrs. Lally has a
cottage at Banff, where she
formerly resided.

E. D. Stimpson, who is at
present located at Edson, is
in town. He came down to
make an inspection of the
Chauvin Hotel, previous to its
acceptance from the contractors.
Mr. Stimpson is at present su-
pervising the erection of a town
hall at Edson, for which he
drew the plans.

PRIZE FIGHT NOT PERMITTED IN CANADA AND
REFEREE MACLEAN DECLARED BOUT A DRAW

KIRBY PROVED BETTER FIGHTER AND UVANNI MORE POLISHED BOXER --- UVANNI
SAYS HE HAD OFF NIGHT -- FROM SPECTATORS STANDPOINT
KIRBY VIOLATED CLEAN BREAK RULES

After all is said and done, local sports cannot find much fault with the decision of Referee McLean, when he declared the bout, between Charlie Kirby and Joe Uvanni for the middle-weight championship of Canada a draw. There are of course two sides that must be considered and, from a boxing standpoint, the Italian boy was pronounced a winner, while from a fighting viewpoint Kirby easily won a right to the decision. Of this there was absolutely no doubt, for in real cleverness, Uvanni proved the better boxer. Kirby scored the blows, and blows which produced a telling effect upon the stability of his opponent.

SUSPICIOUS IN CLINCHES

In the second round, it was apparent to those at the ringside that Kirby was fouling his man in clinches and from that time until the close of the contest clean break rules were not observed. Whether or not the referee called upon the men to break in due time is uncertain. From his expressions and gestures towards Kirby it was presumed that the referee was warning him to cease his kidney blows after the clinch. This was done by Kirby and admitted by Referee McLean after the bout was over. If Kirby was warned, Joe should have secured the decision before the bout proceeded further.

REFEREE UNDERSTANDS GAME

To believe that the referee would give an unjust decision is beyond reason, for he understands the game perhaps as well as any man in Canada today. In the first place, and when the preliminaries were on, Smeathers was declared a winner in the second round on a foul by Ghents. The crowd yelled for their money's worth and on both agreeing to continue they went to the full four rounds, which proved a first class light-weight exhibition. If the main bout had stopped in the second round, the uproar would probably have been the same and more dissatisfaction would have ensued than after the final decision was announced. Two wrongs never make a right, however, and after the bout was allowed to continue, with Kirby fouling his man, contrary to the rules, the Chauvin pugilist should have had the decision on certain conditions.

A FIGHT IS NOT ALLOWED

Kirby proved the better fighter and Uvanni the cleverer boxer. Here then is the contention. The decision was just and equitable. A fight is not allowed in Canada, a boxing contest is. If Kirby had been announced as the winner, he would have won on his fighting merits, and over the cleverness of Uvanni, and the Canadian rules would have been violated. Between fighting and boxing there is a wide distinction and this was proved to the full in the Kirby-Uvanni mill. It petered down to Referee McLean's ability to recognise this distinction and we believe he did.

THE GENERAL SUMMARY

The first round was Uvanni's and his followers thought he had the fight clinched on cleverness. He used his left very effectively, falling in apparently sized up his man and started in real form in the second. It was in the second that he began hitting in the clinches, delivering a weakening kidney punch, the force of which surprised and halted the Roman for a few minutes. The third round was Kirby's as was also the fourth and fifth, the latter being his by a wide margin. The seventh was clearly Uvanni's and here it was that he had followed up his man, he might have succeeded in putting him away. Kirby was groggy, but rallied in the eighth, which, however was also Uvanni's. The ninth and tenth were both Kirby's. In the former Joe was again forced to his knees for the fourth time taking the count of nine. In the last he was forced to the ropes and it looked as though Kirby was going to finish it there and then. He failed however, and the decision was given.

KIRBY HAD THE PUNCH

Kirby surprised everyone as much as Uvanni disappointed. He was considered the boxer and Uvanni the fighter. This proved the exact reverse, for the force of Kirby's blows both in and out of clinches was a revelation. Uvanni showed up even poorer than in his work-out and declared after the bout that he had an off night. He failed to land any of his right uppercuts, on which he depended to win out.

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Whole Bout

SAYS KIRBY BROKE
RULE REPEATEDLY

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Best in Western Canada

Charles E. Gradwell, sporting editor of the Edmonton Daily Capital, which paper is read by a large number of local sport followers, was present at the ringside and sized up the bout in the following manner. From what he says, it is easily recognized that he was not of the opinion that Uvanni showed his best form. "Grad" has been present at a the ringside of many fights, bouts and boxing exhibitions and his summary of the situation by him will probably be read with much interest.

The Uvanni-Kirby ten round bout at the rink last evening did not bring very much satisfaction to anybody. There was some good boxing in spots, but when referee W. J. McLean announced the result as a draw, he erred. As far as the respective merits of the contestants went, Kirby had a clear margin on points to entitle him to the decision, but Uvanni was entitled to the decision in any round from the second onwards on a foul. The boys had agreed to box clean break rules. Under this ruling neither contestant is allowed to hit while clinched under any circumstances, and both boys must step back when ordered to break. Kirby broke the rule in almost every round, not intentionally but instinctively protecting himself. He would make a great one-arm free fighter but last night's contest was according to clean break code and as Mrs. Murphy says, "Rules is rules".

Uvanni's showing was very disappointing to those who know what he is really capable of. His whole stock in trade last night was a left jab to the face, and of the numerous ones he got in, there were but two or three that had any sting. Kirby repeatedly left openings that gave Uvanni opportunities to use his right effectively, but the Italian boy was not there, at least not last night. Wainwright fans have not seen him as he really is at his best, and if the boys are brought together again, I would look for a much better contest.

Wainwright is one of the sportiest little towns it has been my lot to visit and, with the best boxing arena in Western Canada, there is no reason why the name of Wainwright should not figure large in boxing circles. Eliminate the undesirable, such as fake wrestlers and meat ticket boxers, organize a strong athletic club of local men of standing and it would not be long before some of the best boxers in the west would be only too glad to come to Wainwright and exhibit their prowess.

MAY MEET IN EDMONTON

Charlie Gradwell, whose opinion of the mill is given below, is one of the Edmonton promoters and he is of the opinion that the two men may again be matched in Edmonton. In this event it is conjectured that Uvanni will make a better showing. If he is given another opportunity and doesn't make a better showing than he did against Kirby last night, the ultimate conclusion will be that he has seen his best days. It is thought that Uvanni was laboring under difficulties here, which prevented him from scoring in his real class.

In the event of a bout being promoted, the Edmonton sports can rest assured that not a few will journey to that city. Kirby says that Joe must first settle with him before he battles with another for the championship.

NEWSY ITEMS OF
G. T. P. EVENTS

The contractors who will erect the new Grand Trunk Pacific hotel in Edmonton have arrived upon the scene of action with a considerable quantity of material and will start work immediately.

According to a despatch from Western Canada, Mr. E. J. Chamberlin, president of the Grand Trunk System has announced the company's decision to use oil as locomotive fuel on the mountain section of the G. T. P. The company has large sections of oil lands along its lines which should assure a practically exhaustless supply. Eventually it is hoped to use oil also on the National Transcontinental section of the road.

During the month of July last, six stations were completed on the line of the Grand Trunk Pacific west of Winnipeg and work well advanced on seven others. In the first class are Mile Post 11, Alberta Coal Branch, Resplendent, Dinant, Alpland, Trochu, and Yellowhead, while Miniota, Three Hills, Mile Post 34, Mile Post 25 and Mile Post 17, all on the Alberta Coal branch, as well as Edwin and Rieton come under the second category.

Mr. John Egger, the well known trapper and homesteader who has just made the journey from Tete Jaune Cache to Fort George, the route of the Grand Trunk Pacific, in a dug out, reports that there are 25 moose to the square mile throughout the entire Fraser River Valley. Along the river the bank show innumerable runways which the deer use to get to water. Fort George, Mr. Egger states is a rapidly growing town with every prospect of becoming the centre of its district. There is a population of 500 or 600 people there at that the present time and more are coming in rapidly.

FINED FOR SELLING
IMPURE ALFALFA SEED

During the past week the Ellison Milling Co. of Lethbridge, Alta. were convicted under the Dominion Seed Control Act, of having in the season of 1912 sold alfalfa seed containing dodder, a noxious weed under the above Act.

This case is of special interest to farmers and seed merchants in that it is the first prosecution made in Alberta under the Act. It is, however, the intention of the Dominion Seed Branch hereafter to rigidly enforce the Act in Western Provinces. In consequence merchants and others handling seed should see that all seed offered for sale complies with the provisions of the Act.

Mrs. A. J. Rogers and children have returned here from an extended eastern vacation. While absent, they were visiting Mr. Rogers, people in Ottawa and other Ontario points.

The weather appears rather uncertain and sprinkles of rain have fallen today.

"Winey", Wincholt who starred in baseball here last summer and who is now in the employ of Mr. H. Y. Pawling, was confined to his room for a few days week with a severe cold.

FOR SALE—Pure Marquis Seed Wheat for sale, grown on breaking this year. Guaranteed free from weeds. \$1.00 per bush., F. O. B., Viking. Refer to S. R. Bowerman, Wainwright. About 250 bushels.

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